

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 2003**, upon the application of **GULF SOUTH PIPELINE COMPANY, L.L.C.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Pettit Formation, Bistineau Gas Storage Pool**, in the Lake Bistineau Field, Bossier and Bienville Parishes, Louisiana.

1. To recognize that the Bistineau Gas Storage Pool, as originally established by Office of Conservation Order No. 287-B, effective February 10, 1965, and previously expanded by Office of Conservation Order No. 287-B-1, effective October 1, 1966, and Office of Conservation Order No. 287-B-2, effective March 16, 1972, should be further enlarged to include the remaining portion of Section 7 (West Half of the West Half), Township 16 North, Range 10 West, containing 160-acres, more or less, in order to protect the underground storage reservoir against the escape of natural gas therefrom, all as shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To grant such additional relief as may be justified or permitted by the evidence to be introduced at the hearing on such application.
3. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Pettit Formation, and the Bistineau Gas Storage Pool, in the Lake Bistineau Field, Bossier and Bienville Parishes, Louisiana, were fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 287-B, effective February 10, 1965.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana or may be found at the following site:

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH

COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.

